

IVC LVN to RN – Step-by-Step Preparation

2/2018



1. New to IVC - Apply and obtain a Student ID# (or G#) - <http://www.imperial.edu/apply-now/>
2. Meet with the College Nursing Counselor –
 - Phone: 760-355-6543 for appointments
 - Website: <http://www.imperial.edu/students/counseling/>
 - Stella Orfanos-Woo – stella.orfanos-woo@imperial.edu / 760-355-6259
3. Start taking prerequisite courses for option chosen -
 - **Track I Associate Degree Option:**
 - Minimum 2.5 GPA in the Sciences
 - BIOL 200 and 202, or
 - BIOL 204 and 206, and
 - BIOL 220
 - If BIOL courses are expired, must retake courses – 7-year expiration for Physiology and Microbiology and 10-year expiration for Anatomy
 - Attempted or repeated grades such as W, D, or F's may affect status
 - Minimum 2.5 GPA in the General Education courses
 - PSY 204 – Developmental Psychology (Lifespan)
 - ENG 110 (or 101) – Reading & Composition
 - MATH 091 – Intermediate Algebra (or higher math level course)
 - ANTH 102 – Cultural Anthropology, or SOC 101 – Introduction to Sociology
 - **Track II 30-Unit Option (Non Graduate):**
 - Minimum 2.5 GPA in the Sciences
 - BIOL 202 or BIOL 206 (4 units), and
 - BIOL 220 (5 units), or equivalent 4 or more-unit Microbiology course
 - If BIOL courses are expired, must retake courses – 7-year expiration for Physiology and Microbiology and 10-year expiration for Anatomy
 - Attempted or repeated grades such as W, D, or F's may affect status
4. If Track I Option chosen, take the degree courses for the Associate Degree Major in Registered Nursing – this falls under your educational plan with the Nursing Counselor.
5. Study and take the **TEAS Pre-entrance Test** required for both options. Contact the IVC Nursing Learning Center in the 2100 Lobby area for a schedule - 760-355-6530
6. Apply to the RN Program during the open application period – **March 1-31**. Applications available from Office 2155 or website www.imperial.edu/nursing
7. Students will be informed of their status and of the **NURS 204 Transition Course** schedule. NURS 204 is not open to students who have not applied or have not been found eligible.
8. After completion of NURS 204, students will be informed of their placement in the generic IVC RN Program.